



ROTORUA DOG OBEDIENCE CLUB INC

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LIFE MEMBERS

Lyn Windelborne, Robin Harland, Ross Carter, John Marsh, Eunice Brothers
Jeanette Peacock, Terri Robson, Ann McSweeney, Ann Chester, Barbara
Brooks, Julie Cowell, Jo Klein, Dianne Western, Heather Mitchell

FONDLY REMEMBERED

Gerry Randal, Jenny Thompson, Barbara Bourne, Sylvia Bow, Nick Milsum

FRIENDS OF THE CLUB

Tom Johnson, Rex Windelborne, Albie Brothers, Jim Coburn

CENTRAL CITY VETS

Rotorua Dog Obedience Club would like to send a big thank you to Central City Vets for their ongoing support of our club

RESULTS –

Sorry there are no results for this current newsletter mainly due to our current Covid-19 situation.

AGM – 1 JULY 2020

We were finally able to have our AGM which was held in our club rooms on 1st July 2020. We had an attendance of 14 members.

Our past President (Jeanette Peacock) read her report thanking the retiring committee and stating that the club had survived the Covid-19 lockdown and is now looking forward to carrying on the good work of helping Rotorua dog handlers and their dogs.

Jo Klein (our Past Training co-ordinator) gave her report stating that training was going well but we are getting a lot of enquires for CG Basic training much more than we have instructors for. All entries for our term classes are now done through Dogs NZ website via our website which is making life a bit easier for the co-ordinators.

We now have a Training co-ordinator (Dawn Williams) and an assistant co-ordinator (Aine Davis). Dawn will be handling all training enquiries for both obedience and agility with help from Aine.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS:

<u>Position</u>	<u>Name</u>
President	Jo Klein
Vice Pres	Ann McSweeney
Secretary	Julie Cowell
Treasurer	Peter Franz

ELECTION OF COMMITTEE:

Name

Emily McGowan

Aine Davis

Saskia Murray

Dawn Williams

Kim Poynter

Heather Mitchell

Kelly Melia

A warm welcome to the new committee especially our newest members.

NOMINATIONS FOR LIFE MEMBERSHIP:

There were two nominations for Life Membership

Dianne Western and Heather Mitchell

*Nominated by Eunice Brothers and
Ann McSweeney*

*There were 10 Aye, No Nay and 2
abstained – Motion carried*

Both these ladies have put in a lot of time and energy into our club so it is nice that they could be made Life Members.

SUBSCRIPTIONS FOR THE FOLLOWING YEAR:

Keep at \$70 for an individual and \$95 for a family, with a \$10 discount if paid prior to the AGM

Moved: Ann McSweeney

Seconded: Jeanette Peacock

Motion: Carried

TRAINING INSTRUCTOR HELPERS REQUIRED:

We urgently require helpers to assist our Instructors each term. No special experience is required just a motivation to help handlers train their dogs. You would be training alongside an experienced instructor and supporting them. This is a very rewarding role especially at the end of the 8 week course seeing all the dogs graduating into well behaved dogs. The aim of the 8 week course is to instruct handlers on how to train their dogs.

BOOK AND DVD LIBRARY:

Don't forget our book and DVD library.

We have some great material on how to train your dog. The DVD are \$5 for 2 week rental to be paid online or directly to Dawn Williams. For more information please contact Dawn Williams on rotoruadogtraining@gmail.com or the editor and I will pass your query onto Dawn.

Cesar Millan's Mastering Leadership
(becoming a pack leader) volume 2

Leash Off Game On - by Absolute Dogs

"Gives you the tools (the games) to create that dog that sees you as the most fun thing in the environment and chooses you over everything else when off lead"

Crate Games-Susan Garrett

"This DVD is for all dog owners. Step by step you will improve the bond with your dog.

From those wishing for a wonderful family pet, to those wanting to compete in agility/obedience/CGC or Rally-O.

This DVD is great for puppies, right through to re-training an older dog or rescued dog. Your dog will grow confidence in recall, sit stays, self-control, distraction training and motivation".

Dream Weaves-Ann Croft

This DVD is for you if you want to teach your new dog how to weave with enthusiasm and accuracy.

"Dream Weaves is also very useful for handlers who want to help dogs who already know how to weave to be faster, more reliable and more independent.

Easy to follow and fun for you and your dog."

Success with One Jump- Susan Garrett

"Susan is one the world most successful agility competitors, and trainers

This DVD is for beginner handlers to practice all the basic agility handling techniques at home without fancy equipment or a huge backyard- using just one jump!"

2x2 Weave Training-Susan Garrett

This DVD is best for experienced handlers wishing to train your new dog to weave or improve your current dogs understanding, speed and reliability in competition.

THIS MONTHS FUNNIES

The Sunday school teacher said, "Can you tell me who Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John were?"

There was silence in the classroom.

"Can you tell me who Paul was?"

No answer.



Well, then, "the teacher said, becoming impatient, "Surely you should be able to tell me who Peter was?"

A small boy in the back row raised his hand.

"I don't know anything about those other fellows," he said, but I think Peter was a rabbit."



A customer was hassling an airline agent at the ticket counter, yelling and using foul language. However, the agent was polite, pleasant and smiled while the customer continued to abuse her.

When the customer finally left, the next person in line said to the agent, "Does that happen often? I can't believe how nice you were to him".

The agent smiled and said, "No problem, I took care of it. He's going to Detroit. His bags are going to Bangkok."

It's the spring of 1957 and Bobby, a pretty hip guy with his own car, goes to pick up his date. When he goes to the front door, the girl's father answers and invites him in.

"Carrie's not ready yet, so why don't you have a seat?" he says.

"That's cool," says Bobby. Carrie's father asks Bobby what they're planning to do. Bobby replies politely that they will probably just go to the soda shop or a movie.



Carrie's father responds, "Why don't you two go out and screw? I hear all the kids are doing it."

Naturally, this comes as quite a surprise to Bobby, so he asks Carrie's

dad to repeat it.

"Oh yeah," says Carrie's father, "our Carrie really loves to screw. She'd screw all night if we'd let her!"

Well, this makes Bobby's eyes light up, and his plan for the evening is beginning to look pretty good. A few minutes later, Carrie comes downstairs in her little poodle skirt and announces that she's ready to go.

Almost breathless with anticipation, Bobby escorts his date out the front door.

About 20 minutes later, Carrie rushes back into the house, slams the door behind her, and screams at her father: "DAMN IT, DADDY! IT'S CALLED THE TWIST!!!"



A young person in a country town got a job behind the counter at the general store. A lady came in and asked for some rose-scented soap. "I'm sorry," said the new assistant, "we don't have any." The manager saw this and took the shop assistant aside, explaining: "This is a business. We have to make sales. If we don't have what a person asks for, suggest an alternative."

This must have had an effect on the shop assistant, as man walked in and asked, "Do you have any toilet rolls?" "I'm sorry, we don't." replied the assistant, " but we have flypaper, sandpaper and confetti".

These puppies are about 8-10 weeks old, and looking for their forever homes.

Sky, the black little girl, adores people and cuddles



Tigga, brindle boy is super friendly and playful

Charlie, white with patches, is the most reserved of the three but is a real character.



For more information please contact:

SPCA: 07 3492955 or Dawn 021 2553722

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SCHEDULE OF FEES

Obedience and Agility Introductory Classes - \$100 (this includes free membership for the balance of the current financial year)

Membership renewal: \$70.00
Family Membership: \$95.00

Fees for all financial members attending classes each term is \$25.00

CLUB KEY HOLDERS

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